

RETINA STUDIO

Tel. 21260
Nassaustr. 85
The most beautiful color studio photos at affordable prices for your precious memories



37 YEARS SERVING THE ARUBAN COMMUNITY 50 cents

FOR ALL YOUR
Canon

PRODUCTS

SEE US AT:

ANTRACO ARUBA N.V.

L.G. Smith Blvd. 126
Tel. 23434



INSIDE FEATURES
Ortega visits with Romania President *****

KLM announces flights per week *****

War on drugs moves onto U.S. playground *****

Bolivia prints 1.5 peso note *****

ATIA news visualizes economic recovery *****



ARUBA'S FIRST ENGLISH ILLUSTRATED WEEKLY VOLUME 37 Ad Astra Per Aspera THURSDAY, MAY 16, 1985

ISLAND SECRETARY TENDERS RESIGNATION

ORANJESTAD—The secretary of the Island Government, Mr. John Booi has tendered his resignation, effective August '85. Mr. Booi held the position for 20 years. There are persistent rumors that Mr. Booi will go into politics after resigning. When asked about his plans for the future, he said that first of all he will go on vacation, but that the possibi-



Mr. John Booi
lity exists that he may go into politics, depending on the developments.

ARUBA PRESENT FOR LAST TIME AT OPENING OF THE "STATEN"

WILLEMSTAD—The Governor General of the Netherlands Antilles Prof. dr Rene Romer officially opened the 1985-1986 parliamentary year. Both the governor General and the chairman of the Staten (senate), Mr. Roy Markes, mentioned in their address to the Miniaters, members of parliament, guests and the audience in general

that this is the last opening of the Staten in its present form, due to the fact that on January 1, 1986, Aruba will be leaving the Netherlands Antilles constellation. The Governor General called it the end of an association of 6 islands under one government since 1845. He said that although many may lament Aruba's departure, we should never lose sight of the fact that Aruba's secession is the result of a "voluntary choice". He cited the law imposed in the 70s giving the islands the right of self-determination. Although the desire for an Aruban currency would mean a partly administrative division of the gold and foreign currency reserves that should not stand in the way of a fruitful cooperation between Aruba and the Antilles of 5, said Governor Romer. Referring to the financial economic situation the Governor General said that there are plans to implement a general wage reduction; the government is presently studying the procedure of a lawful "instrumentarium" to cope with the present situation. In a report dated December 3, 1984, the International Monetary Fund proposed to reduce salaries in the Netherlands Antilles by 20%.



Prof. Dr. Rene Romer
experts made an analysis of the economic situation of the Antilles. The report entitled "Article IV Consultation" furthermore proposes to eliminate all subsidies to utility companies and public establishments which are the property of the state. The IMF said that in order to

replace the subsidy given by the government to utility companies (water, energy and telephone) the government should increase the tariffs in accordance with what it costs to produce the utility services. In his address the Governor General mentioned the developments in connection with the Shell I and Lago, the plans to cooperate with Aruba on educational levels, and the intention of the government to put an end to the discrepancies in the salaries of male and female civil servants. After a few words in Papiamentu and English the Governor General declared the 1985/1986 parliamentary year officially opened.

Aruba Carnival Queen Enchanted By Visit To Texas



ORANJESTAD—Aruba 1985 Carnival Queen, Clarina Geerman returned to Aruba satisfied and enchanted by her visit to Texas, where she represented Aruba at the Fiesta San Antonio. She was the guest of honor at all the activities and she also participated in three parades on three different floats; she was accompanied on the floats by Cynthia Fears, Miss Fiesta 1985. Clarina's name was attached to the various floats and she was enthusiastically greeted and applauded by the crowds of spectators. The "Express News" a San Antonio news paper, identified Clarina Geerman as follows: "A computer programmer from the ti-

Cont. on page 9



Editor's Corner

A NEW ARUBA

It is an encouraging sign that after the shock waves of the shut down of the Lago refinery are somewhat dissipating, it is apparent that there are many people on the island who are starting to think positively about the economic future of a NEW ARUBA.

Besides the expansion plans announced by the hotels for development of the tourism industry, we have heard about many private individuals who are considering the idea of investing in small local oriented businesses. It is still premature to go into further details about them, but what we have seen and heard so far cause us to be highly optimistic. It was also announced that Holland has approved the sum of 4 million guilders for the second phase of the Sasaki plan; a plan for the construction of a highway from the area west of the Pizza Pub to Bubali. Another encouraging sign is that last week the press was invited by local entrepreneur, Mr. Wilfred Ho Sing Loy, to see a new machine at the Kimberly van Meel Paper factory. The new machine represents an investment of \$ 280,000, and will increase the capacity of the factory considerably. The factory manufactures toilet paper, but according to Mr. Ho Sing Loy, it is the intention to also produce paper kitchen and table napkins, towels in the future. Such an investment is indeed a manifestation of confidence in the future of a NEW ARUBA. We cannot away from the fact that the impact which the presence of Lago had on the economy of the island is difficult to be replaced, but it definitely does not make sense to sit down with our hands in our lap nor to panic. We have heard of many people leaving the island and others who are banking their money overseas. We think that those are negative attitudes. We are of the opinion that Aruba has sufficient potential. And with its business acumen and the bilingual capability of its population, Aruba can make a go for it in creating a new image and a new industrial atmosphere for a NEW ARUBA.

An important factor which can be a positive asset in the economic development of Aruba is cooperation on the part of the government in granting permits to establish businesses indiscriminately. It is an open secret that certain permits are often refused or stagnated for purely political reasons. It should be the personal commitment of every resident of the island to dedicate every effort to the creation of a NEW ARUBA. Setting an example should be primarily our political leaders and public servants. Abstain from strictly party politics and bureaucratic line-towing and foot-dragging. A local bank is currently running a series of advertisements with the theme "Aruba can only grow". The greatest resource to make that a reality is the working men and women of Aruba. They are the main ingredients of the economic survival of a NEW ARUBA.

FOR BEST RESULTS READ...
"THE LOCAL"
 First english illustrated weekly

Village Talk



by **WILLY**

A fella tell Willy dat af-tah all de old talk he won dah wha' dey goin call he He say he born rite here an' dat de farrest he even went from Aruba is ouk on a reef to ketch some fish. He say dat he don't care wha dey call he becausin he kno' dat he is a black Arubian.

A lady tell Willy dat she husban' buy a cake an' give she fo' mother's day She say he come home satiday nite undah he oil an' he eat up all de cake.

A fella tell Willy dat he dunno nuttin bouk dey puttin' joygiols in container in St. Martin but he say it got a gang up dere does thief peepke cows on de road an' tek off wid dem in a container truck

Willy ask a baseball player how come nobody don't come to see de games dem an' he say Topacio won't give dem a chance. He say big man stayin' home bouk dey watchin' novela.

A lady say dat dey quite de TAV peepke dem who used to watta de plants dem way she live in a gument house, now dey want she to watta de plants. She say de watta bill so high aready. She say dey head ain't good.

A fella say dat it look loik Don Martina wires dem cross. He say dat he vote against he own party in de Staten.

A lady tell Willy dat dey invite she to a mother's day fete, but she say it had more teenagers dere dan mothers. She say she couldn't even dance dey koind ah music.

READ
THE LOCAL

THE LOCAL

P.O. Box 6 - San Nicolas
 Tel 45276

SUBSCRIPTION:

Local Fls. 12,00 per Quarter
 Foreign Fls. 26,00 per Quarter

ADVERTISING

Tel. 45276

Associated Editors:

M. F. Kusmus & R. C. Leslie

Pastoor' Hendrikstr. 90,
 San Nicolas

Mail subscription should be paid in advance.

PRINTERS: IMPRENTA NACIONAL ARUBANO

**DISTRIBUTORS: St. Maarten - acme Trading
 Philipsburg**

**A.V.P. SEEKING
 CONTACTS WITH
 AMERICAN INVESTORS**

ORANJESTAD - Contact established by the A.V.P. in an effort to rescue the economy of the island are showing positive result. The leader of the A.V.P. Mr. Henny Eman said that last week one of the probable investors paid a visit to Aruba to gather information about the is-

land. He said that a group of persons who are interested in establishing a golf course are also expected. Mr. Eman said that his party is making the effort to contact individuals close to the Reagan circle in order to reach the highest level possible.

**KLM ANNOUNCES SIX
 FLIGHTS PER WEEK**

WILLEMSTAD - KLM has announced that this year during the summer season the number of flights from Holland to Curacao will be increased from 3 to 6 a week, during the so-called "Hoogseizoen" which runs from

July 3 to August. From May 2 to September 26, the number of KLM flights to Aruba, instead of 2 will be 3 per week. The landings in Zurich and Lisbon will be cancelled in order to shorten flying time.

**A REPORT ON THE
 DEVELOPMENT OF SAN
 NICOLAS PUBLISHED**

SAN NICOLAS - The Organization for the Stimulation of Neighborhood centers, Osticeba has published a report titled "A Tool for the Development of San Nicolas". The report was written and compiled by Mr. Kelvin Augustin, a neighborhood center worker, and it gives a concise and in-depth report of a survey of the necessities and pos-

sibilities of San Nicolas. Conclusions and recommendation mentioned in the report are: the development of San Nicolas; tourism in San Nicolas; construction in San Nicolas; industry in San Nicolas; social services in San Nicolas; the social sector; cultural, artistic and

Cont. on page 4

HOTEL	ADDITIONAL ROOMS	APPROXIMATE STARTING DATE OF CONSTRUCTION	PROJECTED OPENING DATE	REMARKS
Holiday Inn	200 A	5/85	12/85	There seems to be a disagreement still going on with the government about what type of building is acceptable for that area. The promoters of this project also plan to continue with 200 rms additional as soon as the first 200 rms are completed
Playa Linda	120 A	1/86	5/88	
Aruba Caribbean	195 A	4/15/85	3/86	Immediately after completion they will start with the construction of 200 additional rms.
Eagle Beach	200 N			Next to Concorde hotel. They will start with construction 30 days after they receive the Government guarantee. As soon as the 1st phase of 200 rms are completed, they will start with the 2nd phase of another 200 rms.
Nordeman	200 N			Have an option on the land next to Manchebo starting date unknown.
Manchebo	50 A	6/85	12/85	Starting date unknown.
Casa del Mar	200 N	7/85	10/87	Next to Aruba Beach Club
Dutch Village	64 A	5/85	12/85	Tamarijn Beach Hotel.
Fantasy Resorts N.V.	400 N			Government guarantee is received, but the start-up date is not yet known.
Aruba Condotel	200 N			Start-up date is not yet known (POVA area)
Cashba	200 N			Want to start construction this year.

A - Additional Rooms
N - New Hotel

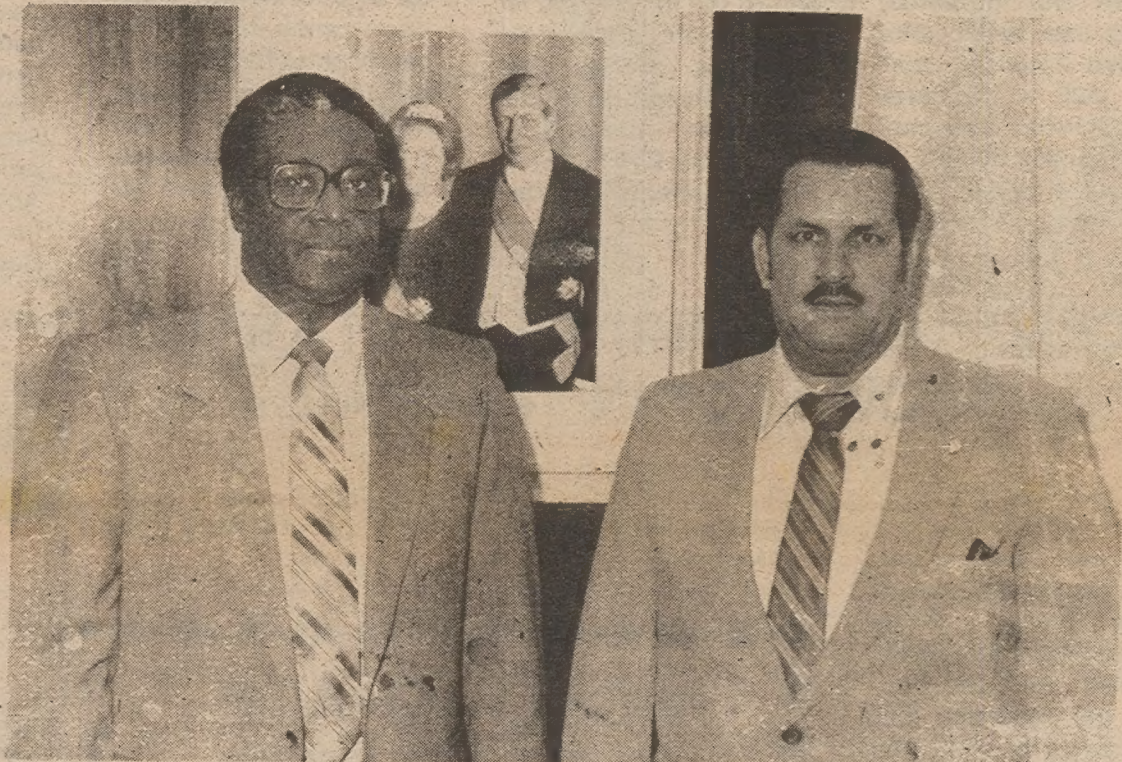
ATIA NEWS VISUALIZES ECONOMIC RECOVERY by observer

ATIA NEWS, a monthly publication of the Aruba Trade and Industry Association, cited the present situation in the editorial of its latest edition and made the following assessment: there are so many rumors about expansion

of our existing hotel plans, that the ATIA NEWS decided to look into this subject to find out for our readers what the chances are for us to create new jobs. As you may recall in a previous article, we mentioned that

Aruba needs between 2500 and 3000 additional rooms to generate the foreign exchange we need to pay for our imported goods and services and to help eliminate our acute

Cont. on page 10



ORANJESTAD—Dr. Clyde Applewhite, director of the Caribbean Development and Cooperation Committee, paid a visit to Lt. Governor Pedro Bislip last week. The CCD is a branch of the Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean, an organization of the United Nations, with headquarters in Port of Spain, Trinidad. The program of Dr. Applewhite includes meeting with deputies in charge of economic affairs. He also has a meeting with Mr. Humphrey van Trigt, director of the Economic Development Dept.

F.T.A. CONCERNED ABOUT THE DEPARTURE OF POLICEMEN

ORANJESTAD—The chairman of the F.T.A. labor union, Mr. Anselmo Pontilius, has expressed

his concern about the safety of the island in view of the desire of so many policemen to be transfer-

red to another island. Mr. Pontilius is of the opinion that the matter should be handled with extreme seriousness. He said that no one can blame the policemen for wanting to leave the island, and attributes the cause for their feeling of uncertainty to the attitude of the government toward the policemen. Mr. Pontilius said the other unions should also analyze the situation. "Insufficient policemen will mean an increase of crime on the island," said Mr. Pontilius.

LIBERTY STORE (San Nicolas)

We just received a large assortment of Ladies Pants Suits, Blouses, Dresses and Pants

For the little Girls, long Pants & Pants sets Boys long Pants, Two-piece sets in very attractive colours

Visit us soon at the "LIBERTY STORE" in San Nicolas

LINDA SELF SERVICE

(San Nicolas, Tel. 45284 - 45314)



- Items to save you lots of money
- Drug store items
- The prices of our liquors are lower than anywhere else

- Our meat market has all kinds of meat
- The friendly store for the entire family



GET YOUR GOLD BOND STAMPS & SAVE MONEY.



BUILDING MATERIALS

By Sale Of Italian Wall And Floor Tiles At The Very Lowest Prices

- *Floor Tiles. Fls. 17.50 per square meter.
 - *Wall Tiles. 50 cts. - F. 1.- for one.
 - *Decorative Tiles: from F. 2.50 for one.
- CLEARANCE SALE:**
Kitchen sinks 150x50 cm bowl and 2 wings F. 80.--

Don't lose this chance. Buy at INTAG INC. Arendstr. 105, Industrial Zone. Tel. 21174-24732

WAR ON DRUGS MOVES ONTO U.S. PLAYGROUNDS

Springfield, Virginia (reuter) "KRISTIN" was a model pupil, a star of her private-school swimming team and choir and the pride of her parents when she began taking drugs at 13. Almost four years later the former golden girl was living on the streets, diseased and mutilated, begging and stealing. She was what American youngsters call a "Garbage head" "I was doing pot, alcohol, speed, LSD, PCP, hash, hash oil, nitrous oxide,

methadone, cocaine, over-counters (diet pills and similar) downers, valium, trash drugs (cigarettes sprayed with insecticide), she recited in an interview with Reuters. Kristin a pseudonym-is now 17 and appears well on the way to a recovery. She is one of the bright-eyed results of the youth drug treatment courses that flourish across the United States in communities such as this Washington suburb, as parents and leaders try to ward off what they fear could be a chemically dependent future. We are in danger of losing an entire generation (to drugs) says President Reagan's wife Nancy, who is in the vanguard of the anti-drug crusade for children. Dr. Mel Riddle, director of a Washington rehabilitation centre, said: "Thirty per cent of American adults abstain-no alcohol, no drugs. Only six or eight per cent of youngsters now are abstainers. A generation is coming unlike any other. Experts say the United States has the highest level of drug use of any industrialised nation. The illicit narcotics industry is worth \$110 billion a year and growing fast. And the battleground between worried authorities and drug peddlers is often the playground. "Druggie" kids usually say they were introduced to narcotics at school. In New York City it's common to see seven and eight-year-olds using drugs in the playgrounds, said Joyce Nalepka.

Teachers nearly two out of three students in their final year of high school have used illicit drugs at some time. High school use of cocaine has doubled since 1979 and inhalant abuse is rising among 12 to 17 year-olds it reports. A study published last year encouraged anti-drug groups, saying that fewer high school seniors were using alcohol, tobacco and illegal drugs regularly than six years earlier. But some experts are sceptical. They point to the rise of cocaine, which they call the most psychologically-addictive narcotic. They say drugs are going down the age scale and claim more students are dropping out of high school before their final year, often for drug-related reasons.

According to the 5.4 million-member National Congress of Parents and

Teachers nearly two out of three students in their final year of high school have used illicit drugs at some time. High school use of cocaine has doubled since 1979 and inhalant abuse is rising among 12 to 17 year-olds it reports. A study published last year encouraged anti-drug groups, saying that fewer high school seniors were using alcohol, tobacco and illegal drugs regularly than six years earlier. But some experts are sceptical. They point to the rise of cocaine, which they call the most psychologically-addictive narcotic. They say drugs are going down the age scale and claim more students are dropping out of high school before their final year, often for drug-related reasons.

Cont. on page 8

CENTRAL GOVERNMENT STARTED "SHOW FLORIN" CAMPAIGN

WILLEMSTAD—The central Government has started a campaign dubbed "Shon Florin". Prime Minister Maria Liberia Peters said when she launched the campaign that the idea is to make the people more conscientious about the use of the guilder and to prevent unnecessary spending of money and encourage saving. The campaign is being

promoted with posters, stickers, pamphlets and radio and television spots, and jingles.

VIDEO SHACK

MOVED TO A NEW LOCATION
BIGGER AND BETTER OFFICE AND
PARKING SPACE

MORE MOVIES AVAILABLE

New location: Autorama/Mits building, West of Wescar.

Open: Monday - Saturday, 1 p.m. - 7 p.m.

A REPORT ON THE DEVELOPMENT OF

Cont. from page 2

sports in San Nicolas; information and propaganda; housing in San Nicolas environment and social relations in San Nicolas; prostitution and bars in San Nicolas; San Nicolas and politics; senior citizens of San Nicolas; maintenance and cleaning of San Nicolas; health and medical care in San Nicolas; social assistance and poverty in San Nicolas; crime and drugs in San Nicolas; education and library in San Nicolas. The report also contains the electoral districts of San Nicolas and a rundown of the particulars of the male and female population of San Nicolas;

LA DESEADA



GIFT & SOUVENIRS
FOR ALL OCCASIONS

ALL KINDS OF HOUSEHOLD ITEMS

RARE ORIENTAL ARTICLES
RADIO, TAPECORDERS



NEW.....NEW..

Just received

the latest colors and designs, in beautiful cloth. Beautiful selection in cottons for jumpsuits and dresses. Curtain cloth. Suitings in linnens and the new colors.

Our prices are low and the quality is the best by:

PAMELA STORE

Nassastraat, 122 Tel: 22462

The Place To Save Money...

ON FOOD STUFFS

BUDWEISER BEER: F.48.00

LITE BEER:..... F.43.95.-

POTATOES - ORANJES - BANANAS, Etc

PLANTAIN 3 for F.1.00-

CORN BEEF, LARGE F.2.00-

CHICKEN LEGS, 5lbs. F.6.65.-

TOILET PAPER VERY CHEAP
AND MANY MORE

HERE YOU'LL SURELY SAVE MONEY
AT:

FIESTA TRADING

EAST OF DAKOTA PRISON



BOLIVIA PRINTS 1.5 MILLION PESO NOTES

LA PAZ--To confront the scarcity of paper in Bolivia, due to the fact that the equivalent of one dollar amounts to a large quantity of paper notes, the government has ordered the printing of notes valued at 1 1/2 million Bolivian pesos to combat the inflation in the country. The population and the banks are having much difficulty with the tremendous volume of paper represented by the new notes. Finally it was decided to take the 50 and 100 peso notes out of circulation. The Boli-

vian peso has been constantly devaluating for the past three years. In 1982 it was 45 pesos for one American Dollar, now it is 50,000 pesos for one dollar, but on the black market it is as many as 185,000 pesos for one American dollar. The situation is obligating the authorities to study the possibilities of eliminating three zeros behind the digits to facilitate the counting system. It is feared that soon there will be no machines to count the billions of pesos. When asked why so much

paper must be used to reach the amount of one American dollar it is poin-

ted out that inflation was 1281 percent last year and this year it is 1500

percent, but observers pre
Cont. on page 7



ORANJESTAD—Deputy Nelson Oduber, in charge of the Bureau of Development Projects presented a plaque to Dutch Government expert Mr. G. Bokhoven. Mr. Bokhoven has supervised technical development projects subsidized by the Dutch Government for the past 5 years and nine months. Present at the presentation were Mr. Rudy Kelly, acting administrator of A.O.B., Erik Kool, successor of Mr. Bokhoven, Rudy Oduber, head of D.O.W. Eng. Benito Croes, head of the technical service of A.P.A. Mr. Guss Genser, acting director of the Aruba Ports Authority.

THE SHOPPING CENTER FOR SMART SHOPPERS EVERY BUY IS BARGAIN ALL QUALITY GOODS. PAY US A VISIT AND SEE FOR YOURSELF



KONG MING SELFSERVICE

Dr. Schaepmanstr. 19 - S.N. - Tel. 45045

JOSSY LACLE

Transfers to Esso Chemic in Holland

Jossy Lacle, Public Affairs and Planning advisor at Lago has been transferred to Esso chemie's Aromatics plant in Holland. Jossy, who has been with Lago for over 12 years, will assume his new responsibilities about July 1, 1985. As of

June 1, 1985 the spokesperson for all matters pertaining to the refinery will be Mr. George Reynolds, while Mr. Richard Lotenfoe and in his absence Mr. Ray Barros will be spokesperson for all local marketing related activities.

YOU WANT TO ECONOMIZE? Buy your materials at BMA

DO YOU NEED "CEILING MATERIAL"??

BMA NOW HAVE !!!

WOOD FOR CEILING (10-16 ft.) "CASH & CARRY"
Ft. & 2x3" - Fls. 1,20 and

When you buy 600 ft. or more of ceiling wood you'll get.
30o/o DISCOUNT "CASH & CARRY" ON:

CEILING BOARD - the following designs:

1'x1' Directional Fissured - before fls. 1,18- now fls. 0,85 ft.

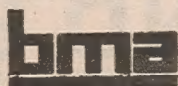
1'x2' Pin-Points before fls. 2,27- now fls. 1,60 ft.

1'x2' Travacoustic before fls. 2,52- now fls. 1,75 ft.

ON SANITARY "BRIGGS": 20o/o CASH & CARRY
Only Harvest Gold-toilet, bidet, washbasin & bath-tub



MEMBER OF ROYAL DISCOUNT CLUB



YOUR BEST ADDRESS TO SAVE MONEY.

Druivenstraat 10 - Telefoon 21275

For Optical

TIP-TOP Service

RAGHUNATH'S

MAINSTREET, SAN NICOLAS - PHONE 45179
NASSAUSTRAT - ORANJESTAD

A.V.P. hasn't given up yet on squelching de Kort's lucrative appointment

ORANJESTAD — Aruba opposition A.V.P. Party revealed here today it is transmitting a copy of its rejected Island Council motion to the Antilles Central Bank at Curacao "to put a spoke in the wheel of corrupt" Efraim de Kort, who, A.V.P. says, is now pending clearing by the Curacao institution to assume leadership of the Aruba Development Bank.

An aroused A.V.P. Party leader Henny Eman told reporters the party is also sending copies of the rejected motion—which had sought to an-

nul the lucrative employment contract naming the former Aruba ruling M.E.P. Party Commissioner to the General Managership of the Development Bank—to both chambers of the Dutch Parliament.

The motion was rejected in an 8-6 vote last week in the M.E.P.-dominated Council.

Eman claims that before anyone can assume the post of General Manager of any banking institution in the Netherlands Antilles, a clearance must be obtained from the Central Bank concerning the

acceptability of the candidate in question.

"Mr. de Kort, who literally appointed himself to the post with a record salary of 90,000 florins per year and a series of benefits, has three corruption convictions hanging over his head.

"Such a person cannot assume leadership of an institutional and vital to the economic development of the island...you have no guarantee of impartiality," Eman said.

Eman added that de Kort "appointed himself to the post through a contract signed way back in December 1982, while he was the Commissioner charged with the

Development Bank portfolio. "We are letting the Central Bank and the Dutch Parliament know that we don't agree with the appointment," Eman said.

Fears that Markes re-election will hurt Aruba plans

ORANJESTAD — Aruba opposition A.V.P. Party Senator Mito Croes, whose opinions, the Party says, have been respected throughout the Antilles, foresees the recent re-election of Curacao's partyless Senator Roy Markes as Staten President will "prejudice the status apartus process" of Aruba.

"The six months ahead of us are crucial for the status apartus of Aruba. Numerous laws will have to be passed by the Staten and I feel Markes' re-election will jeopardize that process," Croes told news conference here last night.

He charged the re-election of Markes, a renegade politician of the now-in-opposition Curacao M.A.N. Party, is against an agreement Aruba's ruling M.E.P. Party made with its fellow Antilles federal coalition parties which mandated a M.E.P. candidate to the Staten Presidency.

"The re-election of Markes is obviously a reward for his supporting of the Antilles federal coalition in the Staten," Croes charged.

"The Staten President must be a straight person who has

Cont. on page 8

LAGO CONDEMNS FALSE STATEMENTS REGARDING HANDLING OF RADIOACTIVE MATERIAL ON ITS CONCESSION

Lago Oil & Transport Co., Ltd. clarifies that presently catalyst that has been removed out of some units is being shipped out to metal recovery plants in the U.S.A. This also has the advantage that this material can be disposed of outside of Aruba. This

catalyst is in no way of any radioactive or any dangerous nature. Lago strongly condemns sta-

tements in the press to this regard, causing unnecessary concern. Lago stresses that safety has always been handled with very high standards,

and we are committed to continue to keep up these high safety standards in the future.

Again, Lago regrets very much these types of statements, and we hope they can be avoided in the future.

May, 10, 1985

DR' RIEMS MOVES

ORANJESTAD — The consulting office of Dr. D.M. Riems eye specialist moved to L.G. Smith Boulevard 58 (in the area of the governor's house) consul-

ting hours for government patients are between 8 and 11 a.m. daily, except wednesday morning. For information phone 32355.



NO MISHI
CU E
VENENO
CU YAMA
DROGA.

ARUBA MUFFLER SHOP

Custom bending of exhaust/tail pipes for all cars and trucks.

*Installing Muffler/Exhaust system of the top brand: "WORTH"

WE OFFER:

*Lowered Prices Down To Fls. 85.00

For Installed Muffler.

*Fast And High Quality Service.

*Free Estimate (Upon Request.)

REMEMBER: "We are being imitated, but cannot be "DUPLICATED"

ARUBA MUFFLER SHOP
Zeewijk 67-B, San Nicolas, Tel. 46799
Affiliated of AMS in Fergusonstraat 20, O'stad
Tel. 26533

SENSATIONAL CHEAP SALE AT: DISNEYLAND STORE

- * "MON AMI" Jeans at DISCOUNT PRICES, limited stock SO HURRY and get yours.
- * BEAUTIFUL EMBROIDERED GOWNS: before Fls. 28,25, NOW Fls. 17,75
- * BLOUSES, . . . NOW FLS. 5,50
- * MEN'S T-shirt fls. 4,50, MEN'S Longsleeve Shirts Fls. 9,90
- * PANTS: Kids small size till Large size FLS. 8,95
- * KIDS Shirt and DRESS Shirts for the coming Holidays.
- * PAMPERS: Daytime - Overnight - Toddlers Fls. 23,10
- * SET of Bedsheets, and Comforter to decorate your Babyies Room.
- ALL Very . . . Very . . . CHEAP PRICES
- * SPECIAL DISCOUNT on SANTA CLAUS and CHRISTMAS TOYS.
- * HOUSE ORNAMENTS.
- * This is a TREMENDOUS CHEAP SALE for Gift items, so don't lose this clance at:

DISNEYLAND STORE

NASSAUSTRAT

SPECIAL CHINESE DISHES
& SEAFOOD DELICACIES AT:

ASTORIA
HOTEL RESTAURANT

PHONE: 45132

OPEN EVERY DAY TILL 10.30P.M.

By **STEVE COZ**

Asking the wrong questions during a job interview could cost you your chances of getting that job, experts warn.

Employers are looking for you to slip up and show a side of your personality that would rule you out as a good employee, said Robert Snelling, who is president of Snelling & Snelling Inc., the nation's largest employment agency.

Here are six questions you

6 Questions NOT to Ask During a Job Interview

should never ask during a job interview.

1. What does your company do? Asking that is a "terrible mistake," revealed Snelling. It shows that you really haven't done your homework. You should investigate the company be-

fore going to the interview.

2. Is this a union shop? It's a good question because the answer might affect your job, but it really sounds threatening. It's part of the research that you should do beforehand.

3. How much job security

do you offer? It sounds like you're more concerned with what the company can offer you — rather than what you can offer the company.

4. Will I have to work much overtime? The interviewer will think you're not willing to work overtime,

which may be the case. Better questions would be, "What kind of job pressure should I expect?" or "Will I have an opportunity to earn more money by working overtime?"

5. What happened to the person who had this job before me? This question could discomfort or even antagonize the interviewer since you are asking for personal information. Instead, ask why the job is available. "You might find someone was promoted or transferred," said Snelling.

6. What kind of office politics do you have? What you really want to know is whether office politics will interfere with your job or chances for promotion. Try asking, "What characterizes your ideal employee?" or other questions that prompt the interviewer to talk about what it takes to get ahead, suggested James Bucher, assistant director for placement at Pennsylvania State University's career development and placement center.

One question that's O.K. to ask — What does this job pay? — should be saved for the very end of the interview. "It would be inappropriate to lead off with that question," said Bucher. "Save it for the end — after you've had a chance to show interest in the company."

CENTRAL MADEIRENSE

ALL KINDS OF ICE CREAM



- SANDWICHES
- HAMBURGERS
- HOTDOGS
- CROQUETES
- & FRESH BREADS DAILY



MARRIED PEOPLE MORE LIKELY TO SURVIVE A HEART ATTACK

People have a better chance of surviving a heart attack if they are married, a Johns Hopkins University study of 1,401 patients reveals.

Researchers found that about 20 percent of married males died in the hospital after having a heart attack — compared to almost 27 percent of unmarried males.

In addition, 23 percent of married women died while still in the hospital compared to 37 percent of single women.

What's more, a 10-year follow-up study of 888 married and unmarried patients who left the hospital after heart attacks showed the same trend.

ARUBA JEWELRY STORE



Is Now At:

Marnixstraat 28, San Nicolas (East of International Supermarket)

*Beautiful Gold Articles At Low-Low PRICES

*Silver Articles At 50 o/o Discount Service & Low Prices Will Remain

OUR MOTTO !!!

BOLIVIA PRINTS 1.5. ...cont. from page 5

dict that it could reach 50,000 percent. Accord-

ding to observers the fundamental cause of infla-

tion is the fiscal deficit, the government does not have sufficient money and it is issuing bonds to cover its expenses. Apart from that the economy of the country is receding with gigantic steps because exports from the mines are dropping constantly since 1980. It is logical that Bolivia has tremendous problems to meet the payments of the capital the government loaned overseas, and since last year the government cannot even pay the interest on more than 1000 million dollars it owes international banks.



ANNOUNCEMENT

The Inspector of Taxes in Aruba hereby announces that those who wish to leave the island permanently, have to report at this Inspectorate at least 4 weeks prior to the date of departure, submitting the income tax returns and wage tax cards of the year 1984 and 1985 and if necessary also of the years before. In case of none compliance with the a-fore-mentioned a guarantee that their tax matters are settled before leaving this island cannot be given;

The Inspector of Taxes

Steak House



L. G. SMITH BOULEVARD - Palm Beach

ENJOY CASUAL DINING...

In a comfortable atmosphere of the Old West... You'll note the relaxing carry over of Old Country cordialities as you are served some of Aruba's finest and largest selection of U.S. Prime Steaks and tasty Seafood... SALAD BAR... incredible...

TEL. 22977

Lunch: Monday thru Saturday 12 noon - 3 p.m.
Dinner nightly: 6:30 - 11 p.m.

CHIQUITO SELF SERVICE

Weg Fontein 48, Tel. 45533)



Fresh fish; Fresh fruits.

Better quality fresh & frozen foods.

Diet foods & Diet drinks.

All kinds of liquor for the

Holidays

BARGAINS

EMAN TRAVEL BUREAU

B.v.d.v. Zepperveldstr. 74
San Nicolas
Phone 45054 - 45055

FOR ALL YOUR:

- Airline reservation
- Steamship reservations
- Railway tickets
- Bus tickets
- Rent A Car &
- Travel Insurance

A new formula for Coca-Cola announced

NEW YORK CITY (UPI) — After nearly a century as the world's top-selling soft drink, Coca-Cola is changing its secret recipe in an attempt to keep its share of the market from fizzing away.

Rival soda pop Pepsi-Cola claims Coke's switch means the drink known as real thing is in real trouble.

Coca-Cola officials were expected yesterday to answer questions about the change.

But the bubbly formula will still be kept top-secret, just like the old recipe—locked in a vault at the Trust Co. of Georgia Bank in Atlanta, where the soft drink firm is headquartered.

"When you're in trouble, you make desperate moves, and that's exactly what we think is happening today with Coke," a statement from Pepsi-Cola said.

Coca-Cola has been losing a share of the soft drink market recently to Pepsi and other companies, said James Weingarten of the investment firm of Goldman-Sachs.

Last year, Coca-Cola lost more than one percentage point of a market. "There are certain things they can do to the brand that can make it more popular than it is," Weingarten said.

The Beverage Digest, a magazine specializing in drinks, described in its April 19 issue the taste of New Coke as having an enhanced sweetness with two calories fewer than regular Pepsi.

The original Coca-Cola was developed May 18, 1886, by Dr. John Styth Pemberton. The recipe for the concoction was described as melting sugar with water in a brass kettle over an open fire and adding certain ingredients—including coca leaf, the source of cocaine, and kola nut, hence Coca-Cola.

Company officials said the recipe was passed down by word of mouth only to a handful of employees.

In 1902, a Virginia doctor claimed one of his patients was driven to suicide by Coca-Cola, and he tried to get the

Legislature to ban the drink. Other complaints followed, including a rumor that a North Carolina man keeled over dead after swigging a glassful.

In 1909, a government inspector named J.L. Lynch showed up for a tour of the plant and took samples of the ingredients—all except something called 7X, the secret component.

The company claimed it could not reveal the identity of 7X, and the government thought it might be something harmful—like caffeine or saccharin, they also suspected cocaine was part of the secret portion.

In 1918, the government and Coke agreed on a change in the formula.

"Faced with constant erosion of its market share over the last several years, Coke has tried a number of tactics to reverse the trend. None of them has worked and now coke is taking the most drastic measure, a change in its basic formula," said the Pepsi statement.

FEARS THAT MARKES ... cont. from page 6

the confidence of the entire Staten...I believe Mr. Markes does not meet those requirements.

"The position that M.E.P. Party has taken in the matter—to let the Staten Presiden-

cy go—will harm the status apartus of Aruba in the coming six months," Croes concluded.

On January 1, 1986, the status will be in effect, making Aruba a nation within the Dutch Kingdom apart from the Antilles constellations.

CHESTERFIELD NIGHTCLUB BAR Y RESTAURANT

Treat your visitors and friends with the best. Where the main interest is for your dining needs and comfort.



MARISKA

MARISKA'S TOURIST & BOOKCENTER
(Nassastraat 78 - Tel. 21093)

FOR:

Musical records

Large Assortment of Greeting Cards

Stamp collectors we have all the stamps that you miss in your collection.

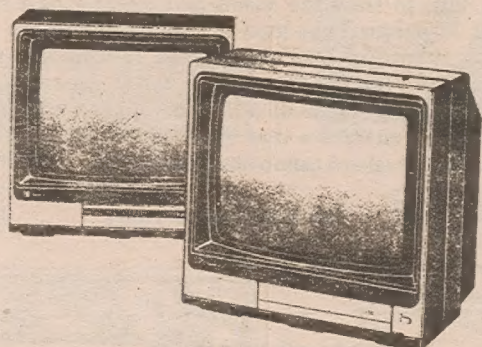
WAR ON DRUGS MOVES ONTO U.S. PLAYGROUNDS

cont. from page 4

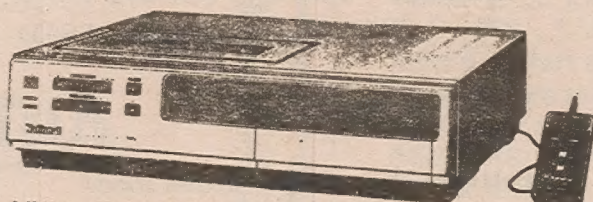
ted reasons. One survey said 11 per cent of school children between 12 and 14 expected to use cocaine this year, 15 per cent would sniff glue and 25 percent would smoke marijuana. Concerned parents have formed 4000 groups across the country to combat drug use. Rehabilitation centres are filled to overflowing with kids from all levels of society. One Washington centre charges \$40000 for eight weeks treatment. Forty children are signed up. Nalepka said peddlers work in playgrounds, often giving away drugs in hope of hooking. A modern yellow-brick building in the Washinton suburb of Springfield is home to one of American's most succesful youth treatment centres—a branch of Straight Incorporated, a non-profit group giving therapy to "druggies" age 12 to 17. Straight, now at work in four cities, was conceived by middle class parents who borrowed from the

basic treatment method of Alcoholics Anonymous, where members help members.

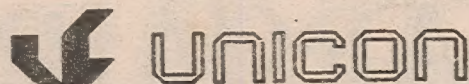
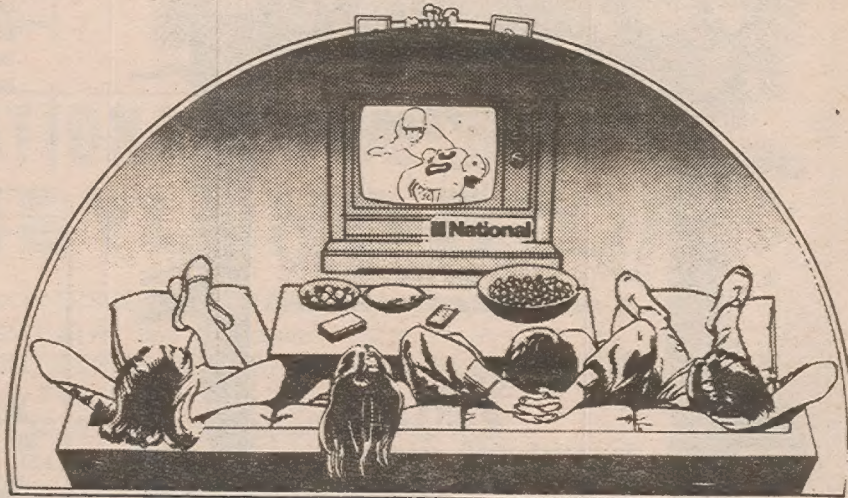
TAKE IT EASY WITH National



13" Kleuren TV f. 695,- or f. 52,-/month.
18" Kleuren TV f. 995,- or f. 75,-/month.



Video Recorder
f. 1095,- or f. 79,-/month.



FERGUSONSTRAAT, TEL. 23555



HAVENSTRAAT, ORANJESTAD, TEL. 21804
LAGOWEG 40, SAN NICOLAS, TEL. 46016

Wheelchair double amputee holds up hamburger store

HOUSTON, Texas (UPI) — A double amputee in a wheelchair robbed a hamburger stand at gun-point, rolled into a nearby discount store and shot a woman in the chest, then forced two people to assist his escape, authorities report on the weekend.

Edward Gale Crawford, 33, whose legs are amputated

above the knee, was arrested in the bizarre spree last night and charges are pending, police say.

The man arrived at Mary Ann's Old Time Hamburgers about 7 p.m., pointed a .38-caliber pistol at owner Mary Ann Rowell, and robbed the restaurant of about \$100, said Sargeant Brian Foster.

"He said, 'give me all the

money in the register,'" Rowell said. "He and I made eye contact. He had horrible eyes. He looked like he hated me, hated my guts."

Foster said the suspect then crossed the street in his wheelchair to the parking lot of a discount store and waved a passing car to a stop. The gun-man pointed a gun at the woman motorist and started to get in the back seat.

The driver, Jennifer Westerhoff, said she had time to think about what was happening while the man got his

wheel chair into the car.

"I decided it would be a lot more dangerous to have him with a gun to my head," she said. "I ducked, then and put the car into drive."

Westerhoff said she jumped from the moving vehicle. The car smashed into a trash can, and Westerhoff fled on foot as the man tried to get out of the car.

Foster said the gun-man got back into his wheelchair and rolled about 100 yards (m.) into the parking lot and confronted a woman walking to

her car. He shot her once in the chest, apparently because she would not give him a ride.

Roberta Rose Hinkle, 62, was in serious condition at Ben Taub Hospital.

Foster said the man went through Hinkle's purse, reloaded his pistol and rolled to the far side of the lot in search of another getaway car.

Store security guard Lawrence Matthews, 28, and two female guards, began following the suspect.

Cont. on page 12

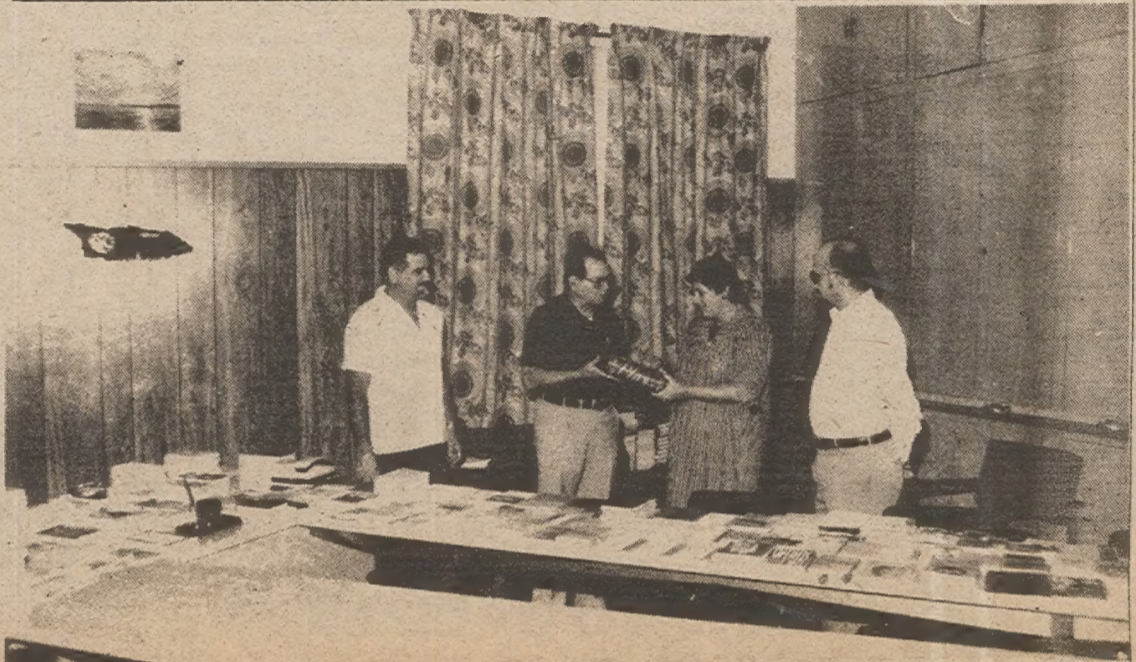


PARTICIPATION

The Inspector of Taxes in Aruba hereby announces that the final date to file the income tax return for the year 1984, was May 1st, 1985

According to article 28 of the income tax ordinance, everyone has the obligation to declare his income. If no tax return is filed a fine will be imposed according to article 34 of above mentioned ordinance.

The Tax Inspector in Aruba



ORANJESTAD—The Public library of Aruba has received a collection of great theatrical books from the Aruba Cultural Center Foundation. The collection includes works of famous authors, such as: Federico Garcia Lorca, Oscar Wilde, Bernard Shaw, Tennessee Williams, Harols Pinter, William Shakespeare, Arthur Miller, Albert Camus, Jean Paul Satre, Samuel Beckett, Jean Genet, Edward Albee, Somerset Maugham, Agatha Christie, Ionesco, Gogol Pirandello, Noel Coward, Bertolt Brecht and many others. The public library will place the books at the disposition of those involved in theatre, lovers of theatre, teachers, neighborhood centers, and the public in general. Mr. Felepito Tromp, president of the Aruba Cultural Center Foundation, presented the books to the director of the Library, Alice van Romondt; also present were the secretary of the foundation, Mr. Rolin Croes and the head of the Institute of Culture, Mr. Leo Tromp



BOUÏTIQUE GARDENIA

(in the ENNIA building, Nassaustr. O'stad)

- * Ellen Betrix Cosmetics
- * French Perfumes & Souvenirs
- * For the latest in ladies & children

ARUBA CARNIVAL QUEEN ENCHANTED BY VISITS

ny Caribbean Island of Aruba is being treated

like royalty during Fiesta. That's because she is

Cont. from front page

royalty. Aruba's Carnival Queen Clarina Geerman, a black-eyed, coal-black haired beauty speaks Dutch, English, Spanish, French and her native papiamentu. Clarina was invited to participate in Fiesta San Antonio by Mrs. Peggy Hood an official of the Fiesta during her visit to Aruba for carnival. In Texas Clarina was the guest of Jacky and Norma Duke. Fiesta Queen miss Cynthia Fears, will be coming to Aruba for next years carnival.

LOOK

FIRST



AT



B. v/d Veen Zeppenveldstraat
San Nicolas Tel. 41779
O'Stad Tel. 21214

EAT BETTER FOR LESS MONEY

Take advantage of our low-low prices
Our enormous assortments of quality foods.
Fresh fruits, Fresh vegetables & all kinds of drinks



Springfield Supermarket
(Bernhardstraat 197, S.N.)

READ THE LOCAL

MDs TREAT RARE CASE OF EAR BUGS

both roaches ejected, therapy is written up

Boston—When a patient walked into the emergency room with a cockroach hiding in each ear doctors knew they had a once-in-a-lifetime chance to settle one of the uncertainties of medical science. "We recognized immediately that fate had granted us the opportunity for an elegant comparative therapeutic trial," they wrote in a letter in Thursday's New England Journal of Medicine. The proper way to remove a cockroach from someone's ear, it seems, has been the subject of little-publicized disagreement.

A Patient harboring a cockroach in each ear offered doctors a once-in-a-lifetime chance to settle one of medical science: How to make the insects bug out. The time honored method is to drop some mineral oil in the ear, then try to pull the little critter out. A newer, competing technology is to squirt it with lidocaine, an anesthetic to make it bug out on its own. The doctors did a comparative experiment. In one ear went some mineral oil. "The cockroach succumbed after a valiant but futile struggle,

but its removal required much dexterity...they reported. In the other ear, they sprayed some lidocaine. "The response was immediate" they wrote. The roach exited the canal at a convulsive rate of speed and attempted to escape across the floor. A fleet-footed intern promptly applied an equally time-tested remedy and killed the creature using the simple crush method. The experiment was conducted by Drs. Kevin O'Toole and Rick Martinez at Charity Hospital in New Orleans, and it was written up for publication

by Dr. Ronald D. Stewart director of emergency medicine at the University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine. This is not an uncommon problem, Stewart said in an interview. We in emergency medicine see this quite frequently. It usually happens to children who are sleeping. Cockroaches like warm, dark places, with few exceptions, than the ear canal.

However, the case of double cockroach ear blockage appears to be a first in the annals of medicine, he said. Even though their study population was small, they wrote, their roach-approach research provides "further evidence justifying the use of lidocaine for the treatment of a problem that has bugged mankind throughout recorded history".

ATIA NEWS VISUALIZES ECONOMIC RECOVERY

Cont. from page 3

unemployment problem. The answers we got are as follows:

Total 2109 rooms with a planned expansion of 600 rooms as soon as the first set are built. This means that if the official paper work can be expedited and the investors/promoters of these projects really have their finances ready, we can expect to overcome most of our present problems within the next 2-3 years. In the meantime studies to determine how to diversify our economy and create a broader economic base should be completed and the promotion to attract new industries should be on their way. It seems that Aruba will bounce back faster than anticipated. Those people who have to take a few steps backward must show patience to give the projects time to get off the ground. The few problems we foresee can easily be solved by the government. They have to take fast and decisive actions with clear-cut economic direction to provide invest-

mentors as well as the financial word with the kind of confidence they are looking for. Status Aparte and other political maneuvers must be explained, so that they can be understood by all concerned. Opposition as well as ruling parties must spend more of their time and energy to work at Aruba as a project. The private sector is showing their

usual confidence in Aruba and we are convinced that if we continue to jointly work at this economic setback we are facing due to Lago's departure we might turn our economy around in a way that will confirm our ability to work together when our island's livelihood is at stake. Let's put this island's interest on the first place.

LING & SONS SUPERMARKET



Congoweg 37 - a.n. - Tel. 45065

WESTSTR. 29, O' STAD. Tel. 22153

The place for all your groceries,

all kinds of

liquors and fresh meat.

OUR PRICES ARE VERY ECONOMICAL AND LOWER THAN ELSEWHERE

photokina

PALAIS HINDU N.V.
Nassastraat 76



FOR YOUR REQUIREMENTS OF:

Cameras, lenses, binoculars, photographic accessories sound equipment & accessories, calculators, TV game units..... And a wide range of articles for all occasions.

VISIT YOUR PHOTO STORE IN ARUBA

HONG KONG BAR - RESTAURANT

AMERICAN - EUROPEAN - CHINESE DISHES

CHOICE WINES

Courteous Service - Cozy Atmosphere
A. Lacle Boulevard 19 - Tel. 29966

"FOOD YOU, LL REMEMBER"

LA LINDA

Nassastraat 31-33, Oranjestad, Aruba



3 Stores in Nassastraat with the best assortment of clothing for Ladies, Gents Kids and Babies, also household articles

Mexico looks forward to World Cup boost

By Jim Budd

Mexico City (GEMINI)

ALTHOUGH the first whistle will not blow until June 2 1986, Mexico is well along in its preparations for the World Cup soccer matches to be held here next year.

Says Guillermo Canedo, organising committee chairman: "We are old hands at this. After all, we had the World Cup here in 1970. We know just what to do."

The World Cup is second only to the



Pique: World Cup mascot

Olympics as the biggest sporting event on earth. By the time the first match gets under way 119 national teams will have participated in elimination games

The top 23 plus Mexico, which as host automatically qualifies, will meet here to play at a dozen stadiums in nine cities. Mexico City, with three stadiums—the largest Aztec, seating 110 500—will be the scene of most of the action.

Both Guadalajara, with four million inhabitants, and Monterrey, with three million, have a pair of attractive playing fields. Other matches will be played in the smaller cities of Leon and Irapuato in the central highlands, and in Toluca, Queretaro and Puebla, all within a 200 kilometre radius of the capital.

Canedo observes: "We expect about 36 000 fans from abroad. Travel agencies will be organising packages that include tickets, transportation and accommodation. We want everything to go smoothly. After all, the eyes of the world will be on Mexico."

Already chosen is a cartoon mascot for the event, a mustachioed chili in soccer uniform sporting a Mexican sombrero. His name: Pique (which means hot and spicy; it can refer to individuals as well as food).

The symbol depicts the two hemispheres of the globe with a soccer ball between them. The theme is "The World United by a Ball." This will

be the first time one country has hosted two World Cup championships. Many Mexicans claim this is fair because they argue the game was invented here.

Long before Europeans arrived in the Americas the ancient peoples of Mexico were playing a game that resembled association football. Ruins of many Maya, Toltec and Zapotec cities include large and impressive ball courts.

The game was played with a hard rubber ball not to be touched with the hands. Bas-relief carvings show players wearing heavy padding.

On some occasions, at least, the contests apparently had ritual significance. One carving at the ball court in the Chichen Itza, Yucatan, shows a team captain being decapitated, the blood spurting from his neck fertilising the ground. Uncertain is whether he won or lost since the Mayas regarded sacrifice as an honour.

The conquering Spaniards were much taken by the game. Team sports of this sort were unknown in Europe at the time — as, for that matter, was rubber.

There are some vague records of native teams from Mexico being sent across the Atlantic to put on exhibitions. That, argue some people here, was the beginning of European football.

Be that as it may, the old game languished and was forgotten. Football as it is played today in Mexico was in-

troduced to the country by British sailors. The imported name of the game has been kept, too, although in these parts it is spelled "futbol".

And when Mexico City's handsome Aztec Stadium was built nearly 20 years ago the designers, to make it as nearly perfect as possible, shipped in soil from England for the playing field.

Mexico won the honour of hosting a second World Cup by default. Originally the matches were scheduled to be played in Colombia. Mired in economic woes, that South American republic had to beg off. Brazil became interested, but economic problems were too great there as well.

In 1983 the US and Canada bid for the event, but Mexico won. The international organisers were convinced that the Mexicans' previous experience would enable them to put a good show at relatively short notice.

Mexico is having economic difficulties of its own. A major petroleum producer, the country has been hit hard by the oil glut and is nearly \$100 billion in debt. Recession here really is depression.

Canedo explains: "This is why the World Cup is so important to us and why we are working so hard at it. We are hoping the matches will have the same effect here as the Olympics had in the United States. They can make us feel good about ourselves again."

ALL ELECTRIC SALES & SERVICE is now offering demonstration of satellite reception in your own home. By mobile transportation Satellite system could be connected to your own TV and allow you to tune in to the world.

Call ALL ELECTRIC SALES & SERVICE and arrange for a demonstration. PHONE 45220, 46181, 21769.

ORANJESTAD—At left is Mr. Bernardo Geerman (Tax custom officer 2 nd class) who celebrated his 25 th anniversary on May 10. He received his anniversary gift from Mr. Toko Tromp (acting custom officer chief-Aruba)

Optica Aruba
R. A. van Blarcum
Manager

MOVED TO ENNIA SHOPPING CENTER
(Nassastraat 85 - TEL. 22882)

OPEN: MONDAY - SATURDAY: 8 A.M. - 12 N. - 2 P.M. - 6 P.M.
TUESDAY AFTERNOON CLOSED

BE FREE TO VISIT US
NOW WE OFFER YOU MORE SPACE, AND BETTER SERVICE.

MISS CURACAO

WILLEMSTAD—Sheida Wever was crowned miss Curacao 1985 in the Centro Pro Arte Saturday evening. She was one of 12 contestants for the title. First runner-up is Lidushka Curiel and second runner-up, Marisela Cratsz.

NO MISHI
CU E
VENENO
CU YAMA
DROGA.
FADA

USE CLASSIFIED ADS TO BUY, SELL, SWAP RENT OR HIRE

CLASSIFIED ADS MUST BE PAID IN ADVANCE

FOR SALE -FOR SALE -FOR SALE FOR SALE -FOR SALE -FOR SALE

ORTEGA VISITS WITH ROMANIA PRESIDENT

VIENNA, Austria (UPI) — Nicaragua President Daniel Ortega met on the weekend with Romanian President Nicolae Cseausescu "in a warm friendly atmosphere," the official Romanian news agency Agerpres reported.

Ortega's visit to Bucharest was the fourth stop on an East European tour in search of economic assistance which had already taken him to Moscow, Belgrade and Sofia.

The talks in Snagov, near Bucharest, were also attended by Romanian Prime Minister Constantin Dascalescu and Foreign Minister Stefan Andrei.

"During the talks, which passed in a warm, friendly

atmosphere, questions were raised relating to international political affairs, especially concerning the situation in Central America," Agerpres said.

Ortega told journalists before he left Yugoslavia that he feared President Reagan's embargo imposed this week on trade with Nicaragua might soon be "accompanied by (U.S.) military actions."

Before leaving Sofia for Bucharest, Ortega signed an economic cooperation protocol between Nicaragua and Bulgaria, the official Bulgarian news agency B.T.A. said. The protocol also provides for "the realization of joint projects in Nicaragua," B.T.A. said.

Wheelchair double amputee holds ...

Cont. from page 9

Another car occupied by two people pulled up to the man, Matthews said. "He put a gun on them."

The gun-man entered the vehicle, abandoning his wheel-

chair forcing the couple in the car to drive off. About an hour later, the gunman released the hostages, got in a cab and rode away. He was later taken into custody.

Pen Pals

Dear Sir
Appealing for Penpals
With much pleasure I am writing his letter.
I am a Ghanain young-

man of twenty two years and wish to correspond with residents in your country so as to enable me to acquire a broader knowledge or your country's political and economic affairs and also friends. I am herefore appealing to you and your corporation at large to have my name and address published in your newspaper for the above request-penpals. Below are my particulars.

Name: Samuel Elvis Appah. Address: University of Cape Coast, stores section, room 10, cape coast Ghana. Hobbies: playing guitar and the game of chess, travelling, reading and music. Age: 22 years
Y hope you will assist me to achieve my heart desire. Thank you
Yours faithfully
Samuel Elvis Appah

Taxis and emergency

TAXI

In Oranjestad, Tel. 2-2116
2-1604, 2-5447
In San Nicolaas, Tels.
4-5160, 4-6602

POLICE HDQS.

Telephone 100

HOSPITAL

Dr. Horacio Oduber Hospital, Tel. 2-4300

DRUG STORES ON DUTY

Open nights in Oranjestad, "Botica del Pueblo," in San Nicolaas, "Botica San Nicolaas"

DOCTOR'S NOS. AT HOSPITAL

- | | |
|-----------------|--------|
| L. Berlinski | 2-8930 |
| R. Bryson | 2-8875 |
| O. Anaya | 2-6818 |
| W. Engelbrecht | 2-6842 |
| A.H.M. Essed | 2-7124 |
| R. Goldstein | 2-8885 |
| F. Hage | 2-8930 |
| A. Hart | 2-6794 |
| J. Lopez-Dorado | 2-8910 |
| A. Saladin | 2-8864 |
| C. Vallejo | 2-8890 |
| O. Wever | 2-6701 |

At even lower prices you can buy by the box or dozen and share it among your neighbors/ families, you will save money!

8 am - 12 noon
1.30 p.m. - 5.30 p.m.

EVERYBODY CAN BUY WHOLESALE AT:

CERTIFIED JUST PICK AND PAY

GROCERIES LTD.

(L.G. SMITH BOULEVARD 150)



FOR SALE or RENT
Hotel Workers Union Building
Weg Kust Batterij 3
San Nicolas
TEL: 47784

FOR SALE
Mitsubishi Stationwagon in excellent condition only one owner, including car insurance
Bernhardstraat. 155, S.N. (east of Wongco)
Regina Garcia

FOR SALE
Aircondition f.300,-
Refrigerator f.400,-
Toy Ras, Marnixstr. 2
Phone 46072

WANTED
Wanted Professional COOK
must have at least 1 year experience
Phone: 46166

FOR SALE
4 Show Cases and 1 ceiling fan, very cheap
Aruba Jewelry Store
Marnixstraat. 28
S.N. Phone 45029

SPECIALS

91

36

22

ESQUIRE
SAN NICOLAS
Phone 45112

MAGAZINES
GIFT ITEMS
BALLET UNIFORMS

If you don't see it, ask for it. We have it!

FOR RENT
Office/Business space, 120 square meters, central airco, carpeting, completely furnished f.1000,- or unfurnished f.800,- per month. Windstr. 7-A
Phone 22218/22738 or 22278 home

Completely Furnished House at George Madurostraat 49
O'stad F.900,- per mo.
Phone 22218/22738 or 22278 home

FOR RENT
Apartment for rent, good location, ample space unfurnished. Price is 500,- per month. Contact on Phone 23156 for more information

House at Alto Vista 148 Noord, 4 bedrooms patio & veranda. For information phone 22742
Lita Giel

FOR RENT
For Rent HOUSE
Savaneta 23-A
Phone 47110



TEAROOM "DE DISSEL"

HOSPITAALSTRAAT 1
Telephone 24229
(see shopping map for location)

Tired of shopping?

Relax and treat yourself one of our exquisite taste sensations:

- BEVERAGES / PASTRIES
- ICE CREAMS (all flavours)
- HOME-MADE BURGERS
- SANDWICH "De Dissel"
- BITTERBALLEN, croquet balls
- DUTCH PEA SOUP, Thursdays

An Old Dutch Tavern, hosted by owners Mr. & Mrs. Piet Harsveld
OPEN 9am through 8pm.